

**CONTINUATION APPLICATION
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Docket No.: 0324

To the Commissioner of Patents:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a Continuation application of pending prior international application serial no. PCT/EP02/05567, filed on May 21, 2002, of:

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For: RESILIENT FLOOR COVERING WITH REGENERATIVE, DIRT-REPELLENT SURFACE

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